

HOUSE No. 964

By Mr. LeDuc of Marlborough, petition of Stephen P. LeDuc
relative to alimony payments. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT FURTHER REGULATING ALIMONY PAYMENTS.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General
Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

- 1 Section 34 of chapter 208 of the General Laws, as appearing in
- 2 the 2000 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the
- 3 following paragraph:—
- 4 Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, no award
- 5 for alimony shall exceed in duration one-half the length of the
- 6 marriage.